# St. Louis County CARES Year in Review

Report of St. Louis County CARES Programs and Services



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## Outline















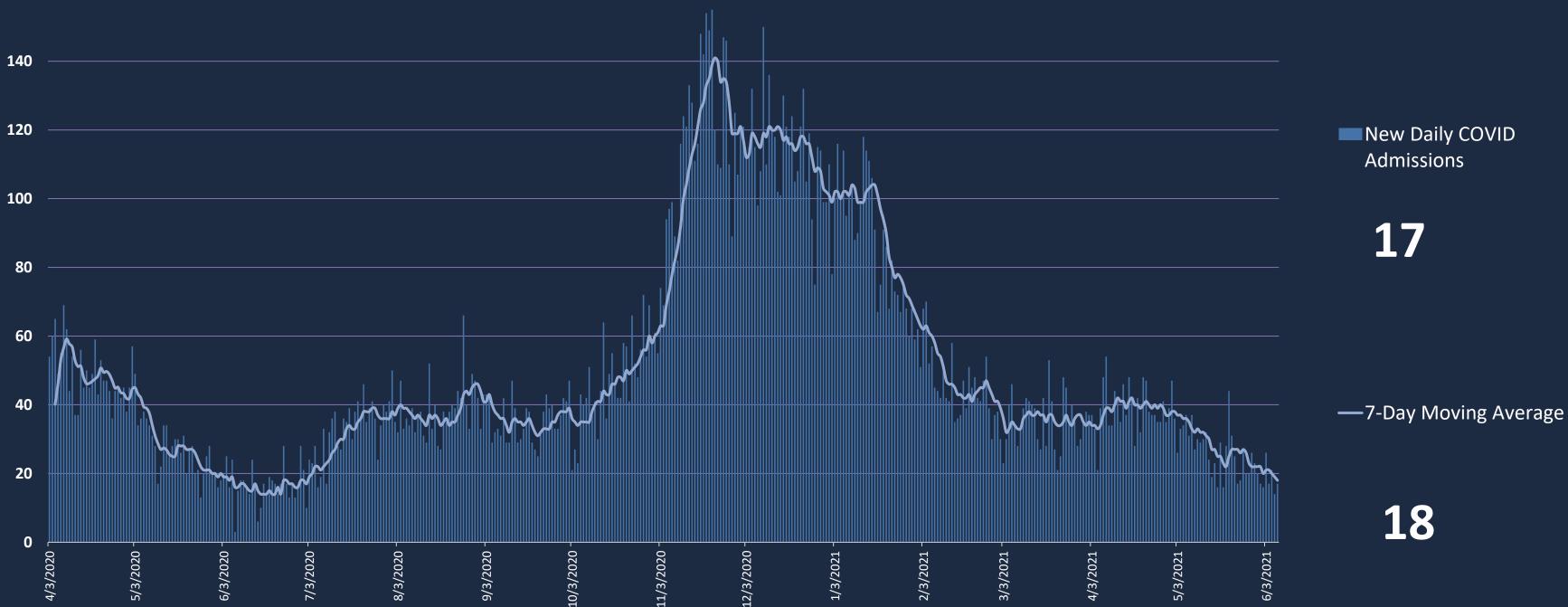












Includes COVID+ Only

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ST. LOUIS REGION
Confirmed COVID+ only

AS OF June 7, 2021

CURRENTLY HOSPITALIZED

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

108

DAILY ICU CENSUS

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

34

VENTILATORS IN USE FOR COVID

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)



ST. LOUIS REGION
Suspected COVID+

AS OF June 7, 2021

### CURRENTLY HOSPITALIZED

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

27

### DAILY ICU CENSUS

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

4

## VENTILATORS IN USE FOR COVID

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

2



AS OF June 7, 2021

### TASK FORCE HOSPITAL DISCHARGES

COVID PATIENTS
DISCHARGED
YESTERDAY

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

40

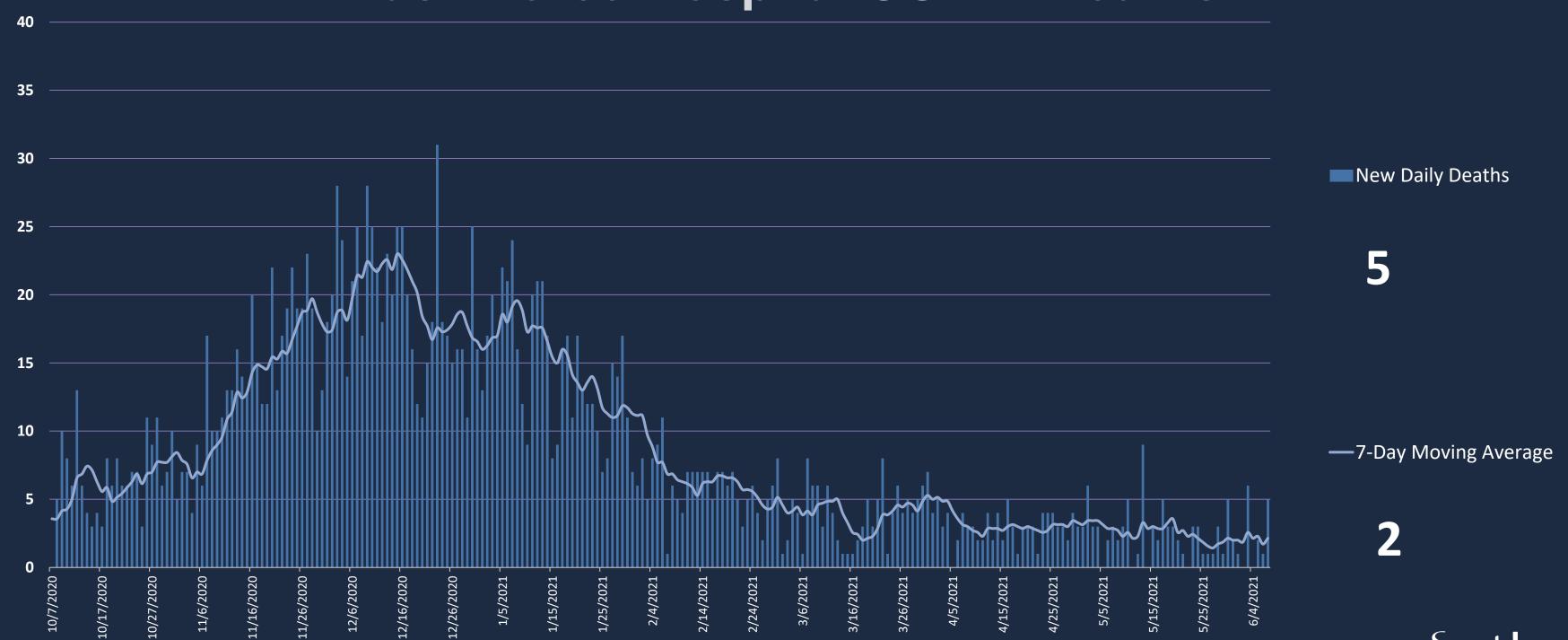
CUMULATIVE
COVID PATIENTS
DISCHARGED

(TASK FORCE HOSPITALS)

22,660



### Task Force Hospital COVID Deaths



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- On March 7, 2020, St. Louis County became the location of the first confirmed case of Covid-19.
- On March 27, 2020 the United States Congress passed the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (the "CARES" Act), Title V of the CARES Act created the Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF), appropriating \$150 billion to the United States Department of Treasury to distribute to state and local governments for COVID-19 response costs.
- On April 28, 2020, the St. Louis County Council adopted Ordinance No. 27,772 to accept and appropriate the CRF funds in accordance with applicable federal law and regulations.



### Overview

- The federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (the "CARES" Act) created the Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) for state and local governments to pay for COVID-19 response costs.
- The CARES Act requires that the payments from the Coronavirus Relief Fund only be used to cover expenses that—
  - 1. are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID–19);
  - 2. were not accounted for in the budget most recently approved as of March 27, 2020 (the date of enactment of the CARES Act) for the State or local government; and
  - 3. were incurred during the period that begins on March 1, 2020, and ends on December 30, 2020.



### Overview

- Under the CARES Act, a unit of local government eligible for receipt of direct payment includes a county, municipality, town, township, village, parish, borough or other unit of general government with a population that exceeds 500,000.
  - 120 counties
  - -32 cities
  - -1 town
- If a unit of local government does not meet the 500,000 population threshold, it cannot receive direct payments from the U.S. Treasury.
- However, a state or county that receives a CRF payment is allowed to transfer funds to a unit of local government.



- 1. Medical expenses such as:
  - a. COVID-19 related expenses of public hospitals, clinics, and similar facilities.
  - b. Expenses of establishing temporary public medical facilities and other measures to increase COVID-19 treatment capacity, including related construction costs.
  - c. Costs of providing COVID-19 testing, including serological testing.
  - d. Emergency medical response expenses, including emergency medical transportation, related to COVID-19.
  - e. Expenses for establishing and operating public telemedicine capabilities for COVID-19 related treatment.



- 2. Public health expenses such as:
  - a. Expenses for communication and enforcement by State, territorial, local, and Tribal governments of public health orders related to COVID-19.
  - b. Expenses for acquisition and distribution of medical and protective supplies, including sanitizing products and personal protective equipment, for medical personnel, police officers, social workers, child protection services, and child welfare officers, direct service providers for older adults and individuals with disabilities in community settings, and other public health or safety workers in connection with the COVID-19 public health emergency.
  - c. Expenses for disinfection of public areas and other facilities, e.g., nursing homes, in response to COVID-19 public health emergency.
  - d. Expenses for technical assistance to local authorities or other entities on mitigation of COVID-19 related threats to public health and safety.
  - e. Expenses for public safety measures undertaken in response to COVID-19.
  - f. Expenses for quarantining individuals



- 3. Payroll expenses for public safety, public health, health care, human services, and similar employees whose services are substantially dedicated to mitigating or responding to the COVID-19 public health emergency.
- 4. Expenses of actions to facilitate compliance with COVID-19 related public health measures, such as:
  - a. Expenses for food delivery to residents, including, for example, senior citizens and other vulnerable populations, to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions.
  - b. Expenses to facilitate distance learning, including technological improvements, in connection with school closings to enable compliance with COVID–19 precautions.
  - c. Expenses to improve telework capabilities for public employees to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions.
  - d. Expenses of providing paid sick and paid family and medical leave to public employees to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions.
  - e. COVID-19 related expenses of maintaining state prisons and county jails, including as relates to sanitation and improvement of social distancing measures, to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions.
  - f. Expenses for care for homeless populations provided to mitigate COVID -19 effects and enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions.



- 5. Expenses associated with the provision of economic support in connection with the COVID–19 public health emergency, such as:
  - a. Expenditures related to the provision of grants to small businesses to reimburse the costs of business interruption caused by required closures.
  - b. Expenditures related to a State, territorial, local, or Tribal government payroll support program.
  - c. Unemployment insurance costs related to the COVID–19 public health emergency if such costs will not be reimbursed by the federal government pursuant to the CARES Act or otherwise.
- 6. Any other COVID–19-related expenses reasonably necessary to the function of government that satisfy the Fund's eligibility criteria.



### Ineligible Expenses

- 1. Expenses for the State share of Medicaid.
- 2. Damages covered by insurance.
- 3. Payroll or benefits expenses for employees whose work duties are not substantially dedicated to mitigating or responding to the COVID-19 public health emergency.
- 4. Expenses that have been or will be reimbursed under any federal program, such as the reimbursement by the federal government pursuant to the CARES Act of contributions by States to State unemployment funds.
- 5. Reimbursement to donors for donated items or services.
- 6. Workforce bonuses other than hazard pay or overtime.
- 7. Severance pay.
- 8. Legal settlements.





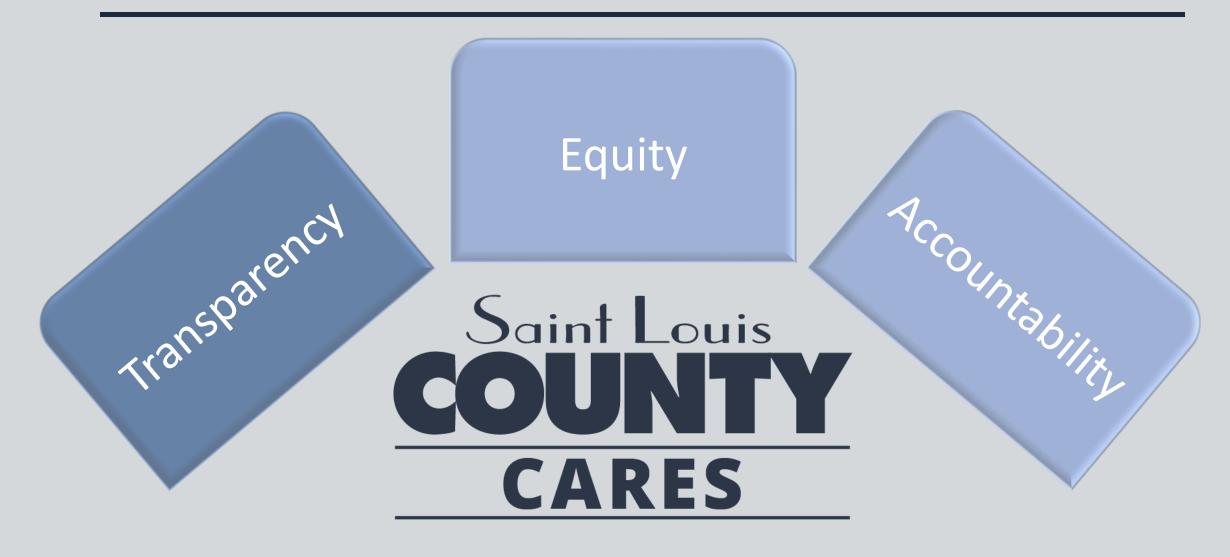
## Overarching Mission

Make an immediate, strategic impact in the County through direct public health, humanitarian and economic investments for our most vulnerable and affected populations.





## Overarching Values







# St. Louis County CARES Governance: Structure Oversight: St. Louis County Oversight: St. Louis County

**Oversight: St. Louis County Council Special Committee for Oversight of COVID-19 Funding and Expenditures** 

Leadership

Office of the County Executive

St. Louis County CARES Priorities: Health, Humanitarian, Economic Recovery, Municipal Reserve, County Employee and Constituent Safety

#### Health

Department of Public Health Office of Emergency Management

#### Humanitarian

Department of Human Services Children's Services Fund

#### **Economic Recovery**

**Economic Development Partnership** Office of the County Executive

#### **Municipal Reserve**

Office of the County Executive Department of Planning

#### County Employee & Constituent Safety

Office of the County Executive Office of Emergency Management

#### **Administration and Compliance**

Office of the County Executive, Office of the County Counselor, Department of Administration, Department of Information Technology



# St. Louis County CARES Governance: Roles and Responsibilities

#### Leadership

Office of the County Executive

- **Articulates County CARES priorities**
- Coordinates across County Departments and programs
- Makes high-level funding allocation decisions Provides strategic direction for program areas
- Reviews programmatic funding and administrative recommendations



# St. Louis County CARES Governance: Roles and Responsibilities

Leadership

St. Louis County CARES Priorities: Health, Humanitarian, Economic Recovery, Municipal Reserve, County Employee and Constituent Safety

- Develop programs and parameters for each CARES priority area
- Collects funding requests and makes funding decisions based on guidance from leadership and applicable regulatory criteria
- Oversees administration and management of funds and interacts with grantees, vendors, subrecipients, etc.
- Coordinates and collaborates across CARES priority areas

**Administration and Compliance** 

Office of the County Executive, Office of the County Counselor, Department of Administration, Department of Information Technology



# St. Louis County CARES Governance: Roles and Responsibilities

#### Leadership

- Works with County Departments to develop funding requests and disseminate information
- Identifies current and anticipated COVID-19 related needs and costs
- Advises on legal, policy and regulatory matters
- Provides procurement and accounting support
- Submits reports to Department of Treasury

#### Health

Department of Public Health Office of Emergency Management

Department of Human Services

Children's Services Fund

Economic Development Partnership

Office of the Co unty Executive iviunicipal Reserve

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Department of Planning

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County Employee & Constituent Safety

Office of the County Executive

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# St. Louis County CARES Governance: Personnel Oversight: St. Louis County Oversight: St

Leadership

Winston Calvert Deanna Venker Cora Faith Walker Cindy Brinkley\*

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Health

Faisal Khan

Spring Schmidt

Emily Doucette\*\*

Paul Hintze\*

Humanitarian

Andrea Jackson-Jennings

**Emily Koenig** 

Deb Patterson\*

**Economic Recovery** 

Rodney Crim

**Janson Thomas** 

Rick Stevens\*

**Municipal Relief** 

Joan Kelly Horn

Kathy Rehmer

Pat Kelly\*

County Employee & Constituent Safety

Mike Chapman

Andria Nelson-Roberts

Michele Ryan

**Administration and Compliance** 

Beth Orwick, Stephanie Hill, Tod Martin\*\*, Jenn Keating, Vickie Fredrick, Chuck Henderson, Paul Kreidler, Shannon Koenig\*\*

\*Volunteer advisors

\*\*Former CARES personnel



# St. Louis County CARES Budget Overview

\$49.0 million

#### Health

Saving Lives

• Decreasing the rate and extent of COVID-19's spread by increasing community awareness, enforcing social distancing requirements, ensuring the equitable availability of testing, and prevention.

\$30.6 million

#### **Humanitarian Relief**

Helping Residents Meet Basic Needs

• Meeting the basic needs of County residents like food, housing, safety, health, and addressing vulnerable populations like children, seniors, the disabled, and the unhoused.

\$26.3 million

#### **Economic Recovery**

Reviving the Local Economy

• Investing in strategies that can revive the County's economy, including lifting the economic restrictions, helping non-essential businesses re-open, helping restaurants return to dine-in service, and pushing the local economy forward.

\$47 million

#### **Municipal Reserve**

Supporting Local Governments

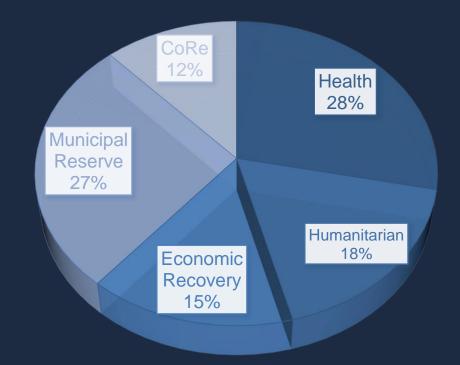
• Providing financial assistance to local municipalities for costs related to COVID-19 response and recovery.

\$20.5 million

### **County Employee & Constituent Safety**

Protecting Employees and Constituents

• Upgrading County operations to protect the health and safety of St. Louis County government employees and constituents.





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# St. Louis County CARES Budget Overview

	Current Budget*	Actual Expenditures	Req/Enc Balance	Remaining Budget
Public Health	49,041,018.30	(24,244,435.63)	(7,458,443.93)	17,338,139.02
Humanitarian	30,637,548.00	(26,531,069.04)	(3,630,910.34)	475,568.80
Economic Recovery	26,324,235.01	(24,415,317.65)	-	1,908,917.51
Municipal Reserve	47,000,000.00	(46,297,214.50)	-	702,785.77
County Response	\$20,478,304.49	\$(11,938,372.10)	\$(5,187,124.09)	\$3,352,808.42
Total	\$173,481,105.80	\$(133,426,408.92)	\$(16,276,478.36)	\$23,778,218.52

<sup>\*</sup>As of May 27, 2021



## St. Louis County CARES

Budget Overview

Health - Saving Lives

		Allocated	Expended
Testing	-	\$21 million	\$5.8 million
Prevalence Study		\$2 million	\$1.2 million
Community Health Provider Grant		\$1.9 million	\$1.6 million
Mental Health Provider Grant Program		\$1.8 million	\$1.3 million
PPE		\$8.7 million	\$4.0 million
Community Engagement		\$1.1 million	~\$500,000
Contact Tracing & Case Investigation		\$6.0 million	\$7.5 million
Other Public Health Expenses		\$5.3 million	~\$500,000
Administration		\$1.2 million	~\$500,000
	Total	\$49.0 million	\$23.0 million



## St. Louis County CARES

Budget Overview

Humanitarian - Helping Residents Meet Basic Needs

	Allocated	Expended
Food Security	\$6.0 million	\$9.7 million
Childcare Relief	\$5.9 million	\$1.9 million
Humanitarian Relief Fund	\$9.0 million	\$9.0 million
Housing Stabilization/Homeless Prevention Technology Seniors and Homebound Services Children's Emotional and Social Wellness	\$7.0 million \$1.0 million \$500,000 \$500,000	\$7.0 million \$1.0 million \$500,000 \$500,000
Domestic Violence Response	\$1.0 million	~\$500,000
Digital Equity Initiative	\$4.0 million	\$4.0 million
Utility Assistance		\$1.5 million
Administration	\$1.2 million	>\$20,000

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Budget Overview

Economic Recovery - Reviving the Local Economy

	Allocated	Expended
Small Business Relief Program	\$19.6 million	\$19.6 million
Economic Rescue Team	\$5.5 million	
Rapid Deployment Fund		\$4.8 million
Administration	\$1.2 million	<\$100,000
Total	\$26.3 million	\$24.4 million
Municipal Reserve – Supporting Local Governmen	its	
	\$47 million	\$46.3 million
County Employee & Constituent Safety (CoRe)		
	\$20.5 million	\$12.0 million



# St. Louis County CARES Compliance: Overview

WHY

ROCESS



Mitigate Fraud, Waste and Abuse

Identify and flag potential duplicate service contacts and provide for fraud, waste, and abuse identification and remediation.

Establishing internal controls, regulations, guidance, and standard operating procedures to identify and effectively respond to suspicious activity.



**Identify High-Risk Applicants** 

Identify risk factors and indicators, determine the weight of the risk factors and indicators and prepare a risk assessment for each applicant. Based on the results, implement a process to monitor high-risk applicants.

Additional monitoring and review is completed for highrisk applicants.



**Prepare for an OIG Audit** 

Identify the grant requirements, collect appropriate documentation from each applicant and prepare a completeness and compliance review workbook. Package up the workbook with supporting documentation.

Appropriate documentation is reviewed, organized and turned over to the grantor for retention.



**Mitigate De-obligation Risk** 

Ensure deadlines are met, examine applicant support documentation for subaward expenditures, evaluate compliance with relevant statutes, regulations, including Uniform Grant Guidance and funding agreements and report the results.

Minimizes financial liability to the grantor and provides transparency to taxpayers and grantors who are active stakeholders.



# St. Louis County CARES Compliance: Key Dates

March 2020

- First case of COVID in St. Louis County
- Initiated County **Emergency Response**

**April** 2020

- •County received \$173.5 million in CRF
- Initial Treasury guidance & FAQs released

May 2020

- Engaged Lewis Rice for **CRF** Compliance
- Initiated SBR Program
- Updated FAQs released

June 2020

- Engaged Rubin Brown for SBR Compliance
- Initiated Health and **Humanitarian Awards**
- Updated FAQs & guidance released

July 2020

- Initial Cycle 1 Report
- •\$10.75 million costs reported
- Updated FAQs & guidance released

August 2020

- Treasury OIG opens CRF reporting portal and releases guidance
- Updated FAQs released

September 2020

- Final Cycle 1 Report
- \$14.64 million costs reported
- Initiated MRP
- Updated FAQs & guidance eleased

October 2020

- Engaged Deloitte for FEMA/CARES/CRF Compliance
- Final Cycle 2 Report
- \$77.81 million costs reported

November 2020

 FEMA Project Worksheets filed with costs through Sept. 30 December 2020

- CRF incurred costs deadline extended to December 2021
- **Emergency Rental Assistance Program** funded

January 2021

· CRF final rules published in Federal Register

# St. Louis County CARES Compliance: A Snapshot of Deloitte's Involvement

\$123M+

Programs reviewed

Applications / Departments<sup>1</sup> subject to compliance review

In award funding was reviewed

**Municipality** Relief **Program** 

\$47M

**Total Award Amount Subject to Review** 

86 **Total Applications Subject to Review** 

Healthcare **Programs** 

\$8.6M

**Total Award Amount Subject to** Review

**Total Applications Subject to Review** 

Humanitarian **Programs** 

\$29M

**Total Award Amount Subject to** Review

215 **Total Applications Subject to Review** 

**FEMA** 

\$19M<sup>2</sup>

**Total Award** Amount Subject to Review

**Total Departments** / Projects Subject to Review

**Small Business** Relief

\$19.7M<sup>3</sup>

**Total Award Amount Subject to Review** 

1,663 **Total Applications Subject to Review** 

#### **Impact**



#### **Increased the level of compliance:**

Recommended documentation the County should collect from the applicants and built out review processes that are compliant with required state and federal regulations, including the Uniform Grant Guidance found in the Code of Federal Regulations (2 CFR 200)



#### Lens of Fraud, Waste, and Abuse:

Looked for known patterns indicative of suspicious activity and identified potential fraud, waste and abuse amongst applicants



#### **Applicant Outreach:**

Worked alongside St. Louis County to have impactful and effective conversations with various applicants which made the compliance review process more efficient



<sup>1</sup>Represents departments / projects for which Deloitte was involved as part of the FEMA workstream.

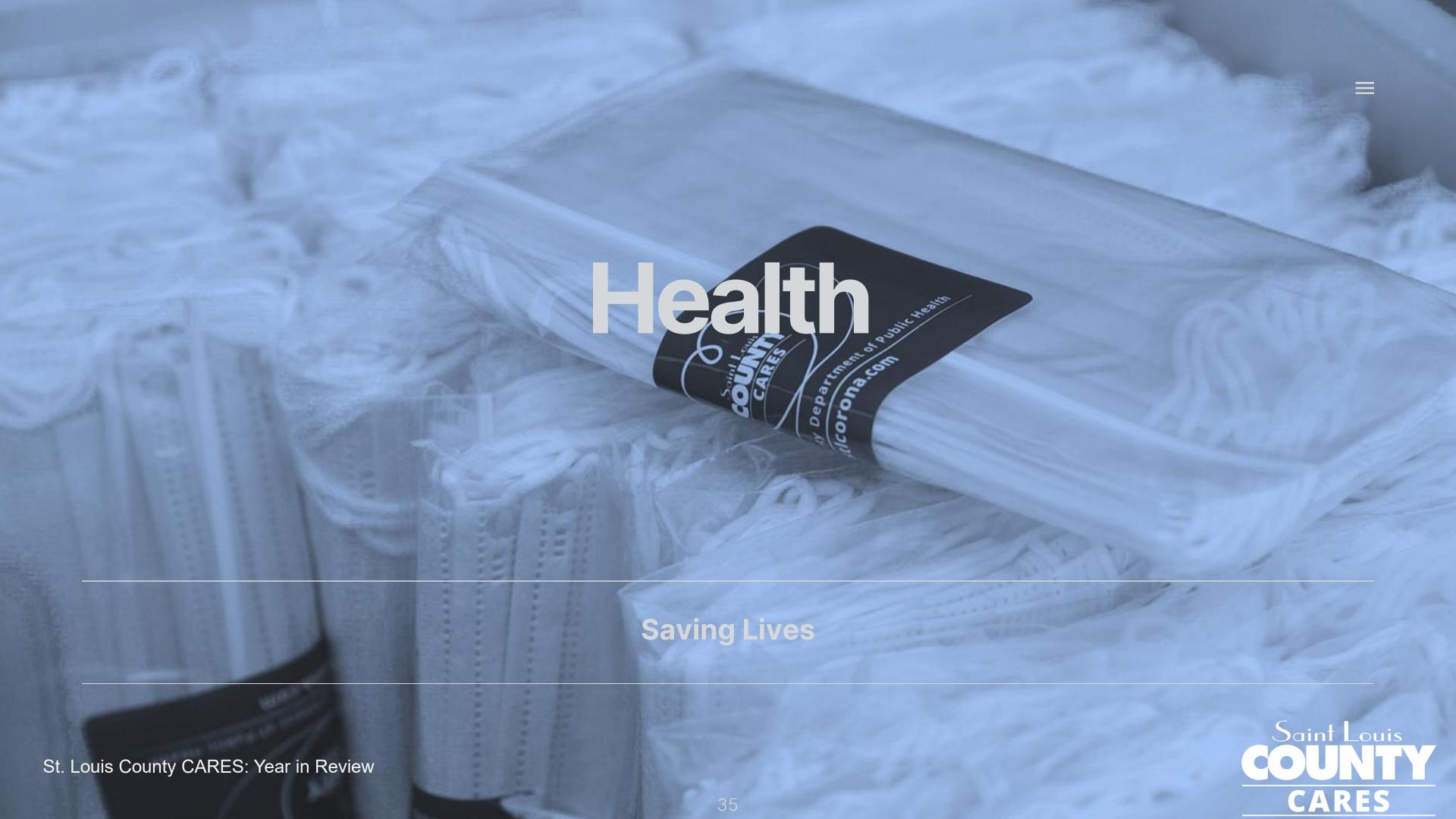
<sup>2</sup>Represents STLC spending through September 2020. STLC to determine remaining amount subject to Deloitte review for October 2020 – Present.

<sup>3</sup>The total awarded amount is net of funds that have been returned to the county (i.e., Amount reviewed by Deloitte was greater than amount noted.

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## Program Goal

Saving lives by decreasing the rate and extent of COVID-19's spread through increasing community awareness, enforcing social distancing, and providing equitable access to testing and prevention.





# Budget Breakdown

### St. Louis County CARES

**Budget Overview** 

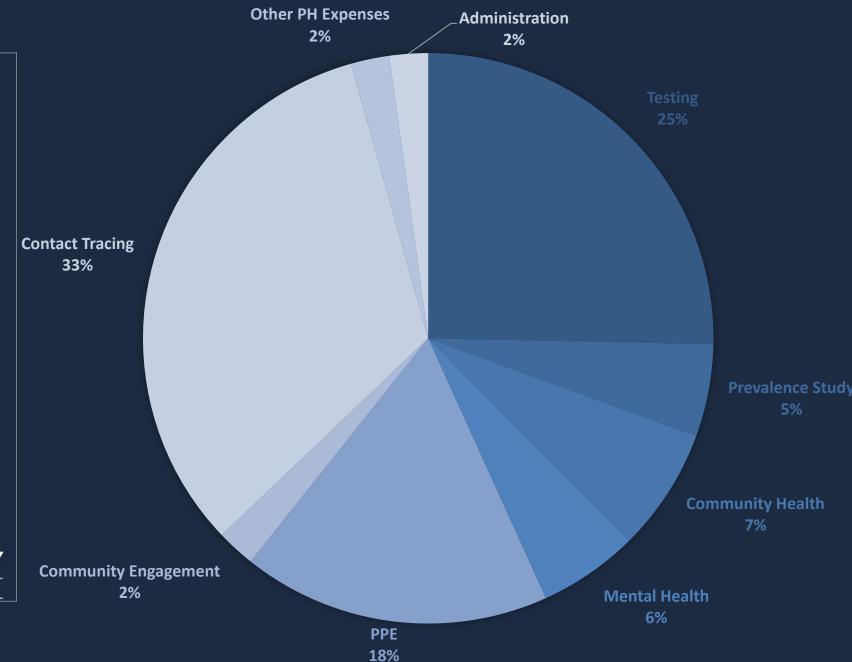
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# Health

Program Overview

COVID-19
Testing

Prevalence Investigation

Healthcare Response Grants Community and School PPE

Other Public
Health
Expenses







Saving Lives

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Healthcare Response Grants



Other Public Health Expenses

#### **FQHCs**

People's	\$578,156.04
Care STL	\$1,511,167.50
Affinia	\$940,032.00
Regional Health Commission	\$200,000.00

Contracted Lab 1 Toviders	
SSM	\$1,450,000.00
Quest	\$2,500,000.00
MicroGenDX	\$2,000,000.00
Washington University	\$2,000,000.00

#### DPH Lab Infrastructure

Abbott EMS	\$500,000.00
Molecular Analyzer	\$200,000.00



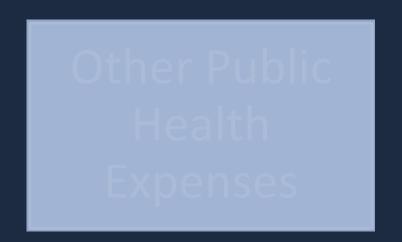
# Health and Public Health Saving Lives

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# 36,000+ tests conducted



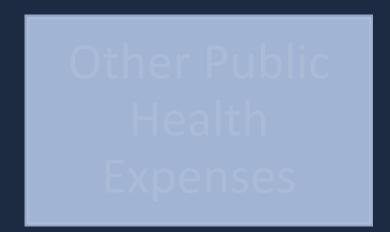
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COVID-19 Testing

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Community and School PPE



- Total funding \$1,990,656
- Partnership with Institute for Public Health at Washington University
- Purpose: to gauge the prevalence of and risk factors for COVID-19
  - Prevalence: the proportion of persons in a population who have a particular disease or attribute at a specified point in time or over a specified period of time
- 3,330 residents completed questionnaires
- 1,300 residents received a test over a 60 day period

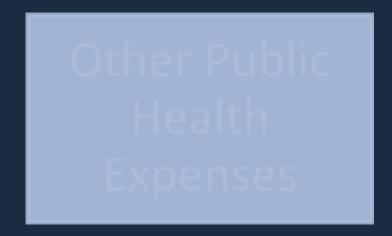


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COVID-19 Testing Prevalence Investigation

Healthcare Response Grants



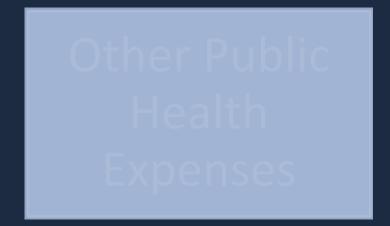


- \$7 million allocated
- Participatory Budgeting
  - 80 residents aged 11 and older
  - 30 community reviewers
  - \$3.7 million awarded
- 24 agencies funded for 26 projects
  - \$1.7 million: Mental health and behavioral health
  - \$1.8 million: Access to healthcare
  - \$180,000: PPE and Supplies



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Healthcare Response Grants



Healthcare Services	
Affinia Healthcare	\$279,456
Family Care Health Centers	\$250,000
Rehoboth Pharmacy (Dellwood Pharmacy)	\$83,139
Betty Jean Kerr People's Health Centers	\$727,196
The Salvation Army	\$352,519.75
Mental and Behavioral Health	ì
CHADS Coalition for Mental Health	\$19,282
Rejuvenating Counseling Services	\$135,400
Affinia Healthcare	\$75,730
Alternative Interventions	\$500,469
Avenues Counseling	\$55,508.50
Crime Victim Advocacy Center	\$5,295
Emmanuel Adult Day Care	\$3,200
Evangelical Children's Home (Every Child's Hope)	\$78,100
Lutheran Family and Children's Services	\$30,000
Metro Treatment	\$462,399
NCADA	\$27,489
The Nehemiah Program	\$127,017
NLJ Counseling	\$53,000
Places for People	\$135,666
Provident	\$50,993.66
The Right Solution	\$43,200
PPE and Supplies	
Access Foundation	\$20,000
African Diaspora Council	\$89,100
WalkNFaith	\$50,000
Emmanuel Adult Day Care	\$1,100
A Mother's Touch In-Home Health	\$19,874



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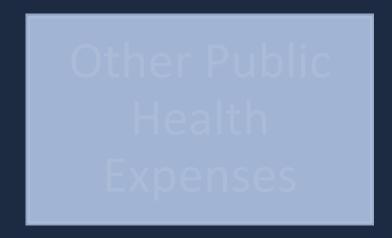
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#### **COMMUNITY PPE DISTRIBUTION - BY** THE NUMBERS

The goal of the mask distribution program was to ensure masks were accessible to communities that needed them the most.

MASKS DISTRIBUTED

ST. LOUIS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

24 MUNICIPALITIES

**BOARD OF ELECTIONS** 

DPH's PPE distribution covered all of St. Louis County, included 49 unique zip codes, and partnered with over 175 organizations.

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860K 460K

ST. LOUIS COUNTY LIBRARY'S 20 BRANCHES

**REGIONAL RESPONSE** TEAM

202K 202K

**CLERGY COALITION** 

**ARCHDIOCESE** 

Saving Lives

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Other Public Health Expenses

School District	
Affton	\$39,146.45
Bayless	\$24,967.97
Brentwood	\$17,566.12
Clayton	\$58,049.10
Ferguson-Florissant	\$162,007.94
Hancock Place	\$31,257.21
Hazelwood	\$365,799.46
Jennings	\$51,268.16
Kirkwood	\$128,236.31
Ladue	\$94,190.90
Lindbergh	\$148,319.74
Maplewood-Richmond Heights	\$21,750.00
Mehlville	\$84,540.08
Normandy	\$67,839.25
Parkway	\$377,161.90
Pattonville	\$128,047.63
Ritenour	\$49,533.31
Riverview Gardens	\$115,762.77
Rockwood	\$74,854.03
Special School District	\$92,450.89
University City	\$55,946.01
Valley Park	\$18,553.91
Webster Groves	\$92,118.55



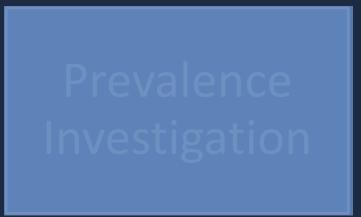
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Maplewood-Richmond Heights	\$21,750.00
Mehlville	\$84,540.08
Normandy	\$67,839.25
Parkway	\$377,161.90
Pattonville	\$128,047.63
Ritenour	\$49,533.31
Riverview Gardens	\$115,762.77
Rockwood	\$74,854.03
Special School District	\$92,450.89
University City	\$55,946.01
Valley Park	\$18,553.91
Webster Groves	\$92,118.55

Saving Lives









Other Public Health Expenses

- Call Centers
- Contact Tracing
- Communications and Outreach
- Community Voices Project
- St. Louis Regional Data Alliance
- SLU Partnership





# Program Goal

Helping County residents meet basic needs like food, housing, safety, health, and addressing vulnerable populations like children, seniors, the disabled, and the unhoused.





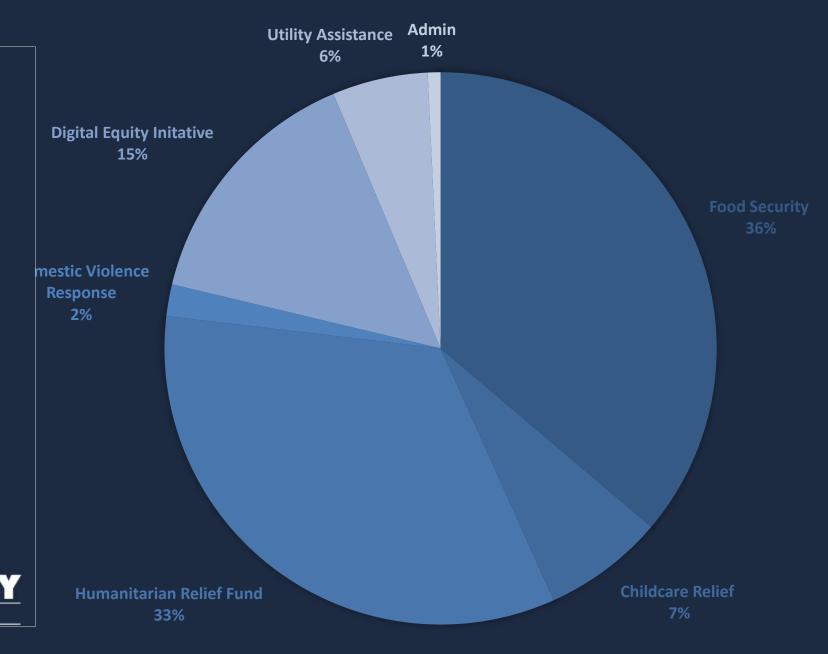
# Budget Breakdown

### St. Louis County CARES

**Budget Overview** 

Humanitarian - Helping Residents Meet Basic Needs

		Allocated	Expended	
Food Security		\$6.0 million	\$9.7 million	_
Childcare Relief		\$5.9 million	\$1.9 million	
Humanitarian Relief Fund		\$9.0 million	\$9.0 million	
Housing Stabilization/Homeless Prevented Technology Seniors and Homebound Services Children's Emotional and Social Well		\$7.0 million \$1.0 million \$500,000 \$500,000	\$7.0 million \$1.0 million \$500,000 \$500,000	
Domestic Violence Response		\$1.0 million	~\$500,000	
Digital Equity Initiative		\$4.0 million	\$4.0 million	
Utility Assistance		<del></del>	\$1.5 million	
Administration		\$1.2 million	>\$20,000	_ Saint Louis
CARES: Year in Review	Total	\$30.6 million	\$26.6 million	COUNTY
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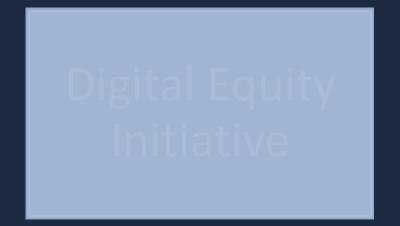


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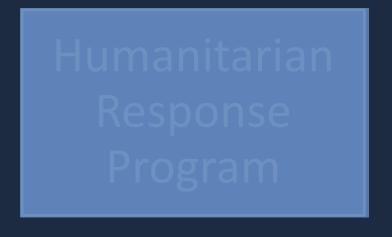


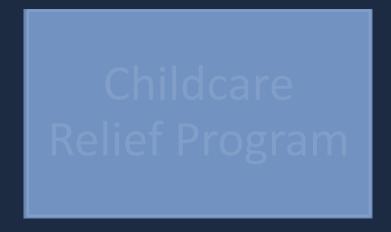




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St. Louis Area Foodbank
Urban League
NAACP/ARCHS



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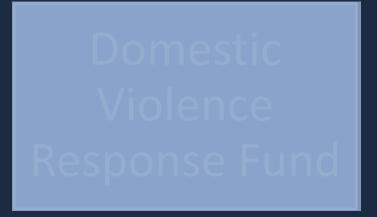




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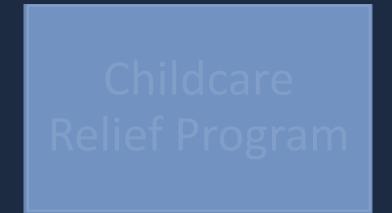


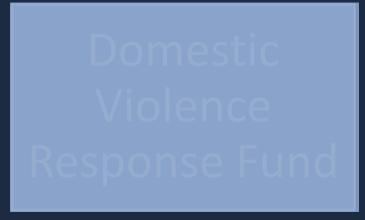


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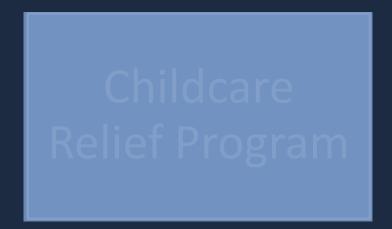
Housing Stabilization &	
Homelessness Prevention	\$7 million
Screening & Referrals	\$250,000
HP-Housing Advocacy	\$2.3 millio
HP-Legal Advocacy	\$210,000
HUA-Financial Assistance	\$2.5 millio
HUA- Utilities	\$1.7 millio
HUA-Legal Advocacy	\$40,000
Seniors & Homebound	\$500,000
Child Social and Emotional	
Wellness	\$500,000
Technology	\$1 million
	\$9.0 million

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- Responses to the RFP for the Humanitarian Response Program effort were due on June 11th through St. Louis County Children's Service Fund's (CSF) online grants management system, SM Apply.
- Held two pre-bid technical assistance meetings and made recording available on the application site.
- CSF/St. Louis County Department of Human Services (DHS) established a shared outlook email address to answer questions and communicate with grantees.
- FAQs were updated based on questions posed by applicants and posted on the SM Apply site and also emailed.

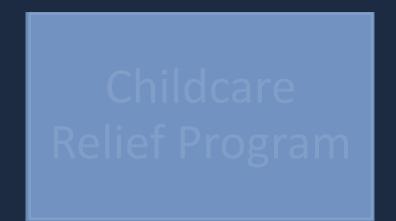
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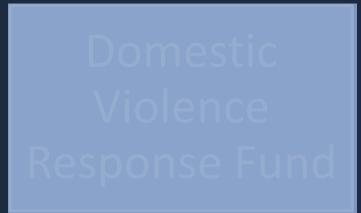
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- Applicants were eligible to apply for multiple programs.
- Applications statistics:
  - 80 organizations
  - 117 programs
  - \$17,657,621
- Internal St. Louis County Children's Service Fund and Department of Human Services staff reviewed applications, along with 37 external reviewers recruited from the community.
- Community reviewers and staff recommended funding 60 organizations and 97 programs.



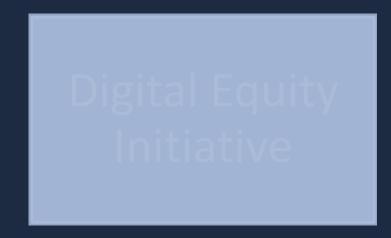
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Domestic Violence Response Fund





Organization's Name	Impact Area and Housing Sub-Area (if applicable)	Α	ward Amount
Arch City Defenders Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	40,000.00
Better Family Life Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	100,000.00
Beyond Housing Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	181,807.80
Catholic Charities of St. Louis	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	692,000.00
Circle of Concern	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	24,750.00
Community Action Agency of St. Louis County Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	500,000.00
Employment Connection	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	50,000.00
Housing Options Provided for the Elderly Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	41,000.00
Interfaith Residence	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	120,000.00
Loaves and Fishes For St. Louis Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	25,200.00
Room at the Inn	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	2,500.00
Society of St. Vincent de Paul Archdiocesan Council of St. Louis	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	80,000.00
St. Louis Crisis Nursery	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	13,000.00
The Salvation Army	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	389,599.83
Urban League of Metropolitan St. Louis Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	140,000.00
Urban Strategies Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Temporary Financial Housing Assistance)	\$	15,000.00 Saint Lou



Organization's Name	Impact Area and Housing Sub-Area (if applicable)	Award Amount
Arch City Defenders Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 10,000.00
Better Family Life Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 70,000.00
Beyond Housing Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 120,000.00
Circle of Concern	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 8,250.00
Employment Connection	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 300,000.00
Heat Up St. Louis Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 2,300,000.00
Interfaith Residence	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 20,000.00
Loaves and Fishes For St. Louis Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 27,000.00
Room at the Inn	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 2,500.00
Society of St. Vincent de Paul Archdiocesan Council of St. Louis	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 120,000.00
The Salvation Army	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 280,000.00
Urban League of Metropolitan St. Louis Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Housing & Utility Assistance - Utility Assistance)	\$ 50,000.00
Better Family Life Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Screening & Referral)	\$ 9,000.00
The Salvation Army	Housing Stabilization (Screening & Referral)	\$ 3,000.00
United Way of Greater St. Louis Inc.	Housing Stabilization (Screening & Referral)	\$ 237,617.00



Organization's Name	Impact Area and Housing Sub-Area (if applicable)	Aw	vard Amount
A Red Circle	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	60,019.80
Aging Ahead	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	22,969.05
Association on Aging with Developmental Disabilities	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	11,000.00
Cardinal Ritter Senior Services	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	20,000.00
Center for Hearing & Speech	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	31,500.00
Community Health In Partnership Services Inc.	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	62,137.00
Deaconess Faith Community Nurse Ministries	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	19,041.81
Easter Seals Midwest	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	175,531.00
Food Outreach Inc.	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	67,580.00
Jewish Federation of St. Louis	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	68,145.00
Loaves and Fishes For St. Louis Inc.	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	43,643.00
Lutheran Senior Services	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	48,284.94
St. Andrew's Charitable Foundation	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	22,018.91
St. Louis Integrated Health Network	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	115,030.30
Visiting Nurse Association of Greater St. Louis (VNA)	Seniors and Home-bound Individuals	\$	20,000.00



Organization's Name	Impact Area and Housing Sub-Area (if applicable)	Av	vard Amount
Child Advocacy Services of Greater St. Louis	Social and Emotional Well-Being of Children in Childcare Settings	\$	61,818.00
Missouri Child Care Resource and Referral Network	Social and Emotional Well-Being of Children in Childcare Settings	\$	88,705.00
United 4 Children	Social and Emotional Well-Being of Children in Childcare Settings	\$	306,554.57
University City Children's Center	Social and Emotional Well-Being of Children in Childcare Settings	\$	42,922.43
Affinia Healthcare	Technology	\$	61,535.00
Better Family Life Inc.	Technology	\$	39,100.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern Missouri	Technology	\$	20,000.00
Care and Counseling Inc.	Technology	\$	26,963.75
Child Center Marygrove	Technology	\$	100,971.00
Cornerstones of Care	Technology	\$	38,938.00
FamilyForward	Technology	\$	69,590.00
Gateway Region Young Mens Christian Association	Technology	\$	16,190.00
German Saint Vincent Orphan Association	Technology	\$	91,630.00
Herbert Hoover Boys and Girls Clubs Inc.	Technology	\$	131,300.00
Independence Center	Technology	\$	94,009.00
Lutheran Family and Children's Services of Missouri	Technology	\$	32,250.00
Parents as Teachers National Center Inc.	Technology	\$	10,000.00 Saint Loui

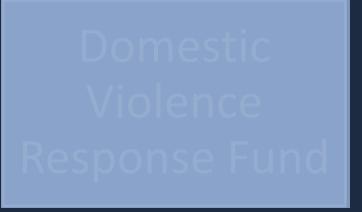
Organization's Name	Impact Area and Housing Sub-Area (if applicable)	A	ward Amount
Places for People Inc	Technology	\$	70,000.00
Room at the Inn	Technology	\$	5,000.00
Step Up of St. Louis	Technology	\$	15,419.80
The Oasis Institute	Technology	\$	108,500.00
The SoulFisher Ministries	Technology	\$	20,000.00
Urban Strategies Inc.	Technology	\$	23,600.00
Walter's Walk	Technology	\$	5,000.00
Youth In Need	Technology	\$	14,800.00
	Total	\$	10,790,396.40

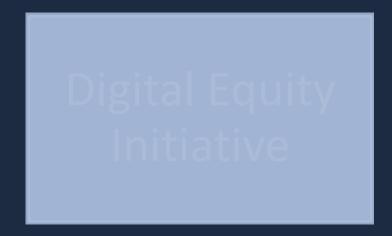


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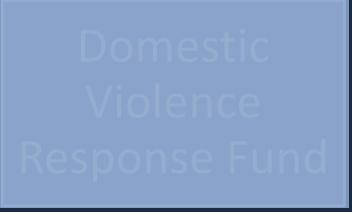


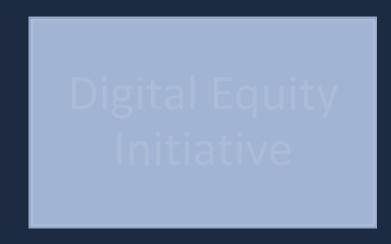


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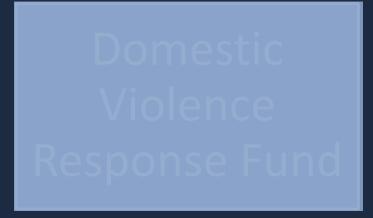
- Purpose: to help providers continue to operate safely and effectively in response to the pandemic by providing funding for two categories of costs and expenses:
  - 1. costs of business interruption caused by COVID-19; and
  - 2. costs to facilitate compliance with County and CDC public health guidelines relating to COVID-19
- \$5.9 million total allocation
- Application was posted on June 3, 2020, and closed on July 14, 2020.

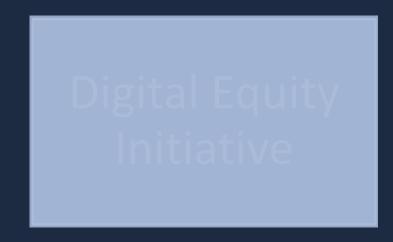


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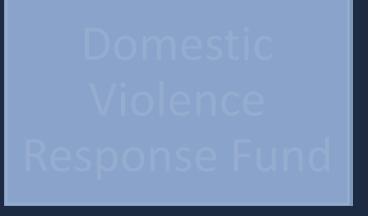


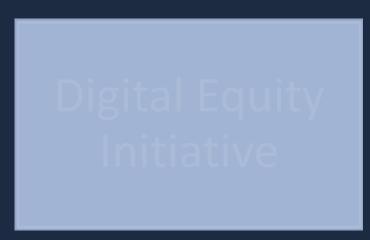
- St. Louis County contracted with United 4 Children and Child Care Aware of Missouri to provide technical assistance, training, access to technology and other resources.
  - Outreach was conducted through these organizations, and other non-profit and funding partners.
- Advertised in the St. Louis American and county staff mailed information regarding the funding opportunity to the 400 licensed child care providers in St. Louis County.
- CSF staff reviewed for eligibility and completeness.
- 107 organizations submitted applications, and St. Louis County executed 93 contracts for 122 locations/sites.

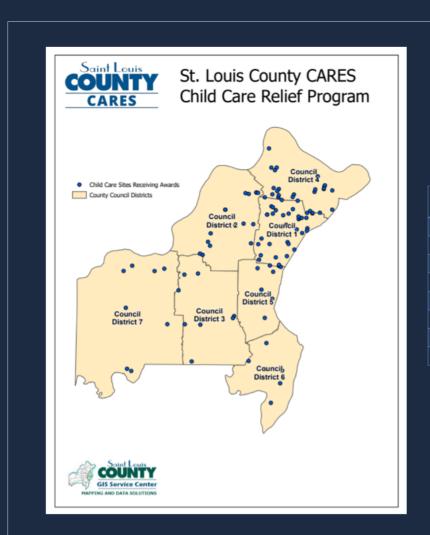
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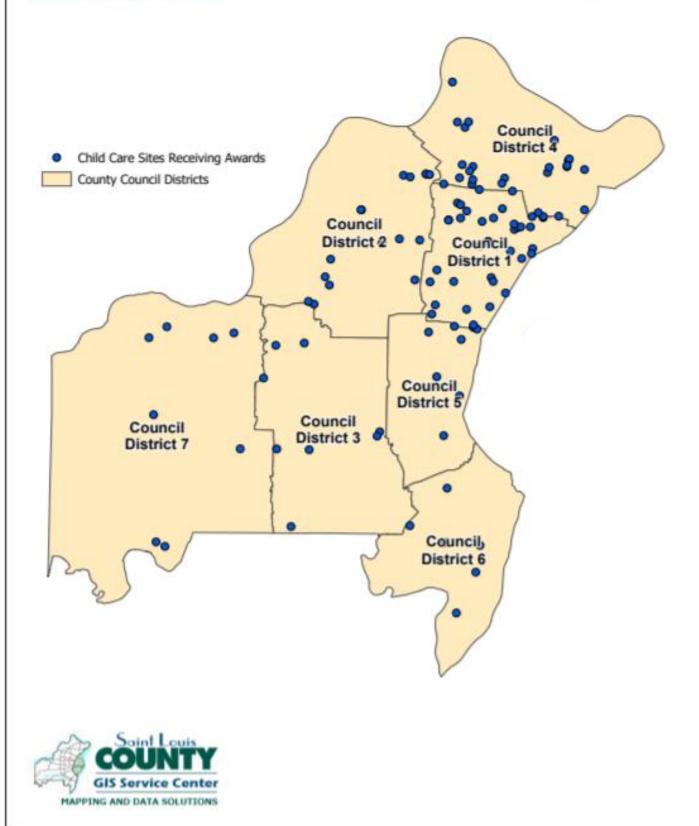


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2	18	14.75%	\$291,600	16%
3	13	10.66%	\$250,800	14%
4	26	21.31%	\$313,200	17%
5	10	8.20%	\$189,150	10%
6	9	7.38%	\$178,650	10%
7	12	9.84%	\$209,700	11%
Totals	122	100.00%	\$1,855,115	100%





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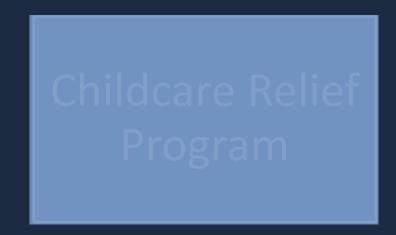


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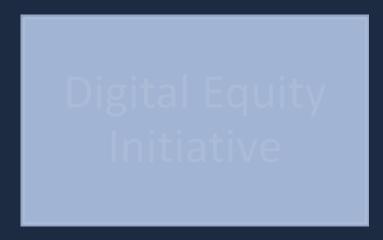
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Domestic Violence Response Fund



- Purpose: Focus on key areas, as developed by working in collaboration and cooperation with service providers, funders, and other community leaders
  - 1. Increasing health protections in shelters
  - 2. Ensuring continuity of services through technology
  - 3. Preventing domestic and sexual violence
  - 4. Raising public awareness of available resources
- St. Louis County received 13 proposals totaling \$1.8 million.
- 11 organizations were funded at \$549,476.
- Proposals were evaluated and recommended by internal county staff within CSF and DHS.



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Digital Equity Initiative

Organization	Impact Area	Awa	rded Funding
ALIVE	Increasing Health Protections in Shelters	\$	6,580.66
	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	12,327.83
	Preventing Domestic and Sexual Violence	\$	4,136.00
	Raising Public Awareness of Available Resources	\$	12,023.00
All Among Us Inc	Increasing Health Protections in Shelters	\$	18,991.00
Behavioral Health Response	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	140,000.00
response	Raising Public Awareness of Available Resources	\$	11,036.00
Covenant House Missouri	Increasing Health Protections in Shelters	\$	42,365.00
Fathers Support Center St Louis	Preventing Domestic and Sexual Violence	\$	20,707.90
Healing Action Network Inc	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	12,695.80
Room at the Inn	Increasing Health Protections in Shelters	\$	2,500.00
	Preventing Domestic and Sexual Violence	\$	5,000.00
Safe Connections	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	62,160.00
	Preventing Domestic and Sexual Violence	\$	15,870.00
	Raising Public Awareness of Available Resources	\$	55,550.00
St. Martha's Hall	Increasing Health Protections in Shelters	\$	30,950.00
	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	10,593.00
Women's Safe House	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	26,000.00
Young Women's Christian Association	Ensuring Continuity of Services through Technology	\$	59,990.00
Association	Total	\$!	549,476.00



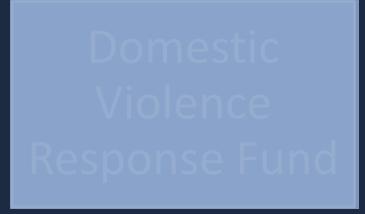
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Digital Equity Initiative

- 9,828 mobile hotspots, with each hotspot able to host up to five devices
- 6,085 Chromebooks
- Professional tutoring services through the Library at <u>tutor.com</u>, were made available seven days a week, 12 hours a day to any student within the County
- In-person tutoring through the Miriam Learning Center for unique learners.
- 1485 Grandpads with 12 month subscription



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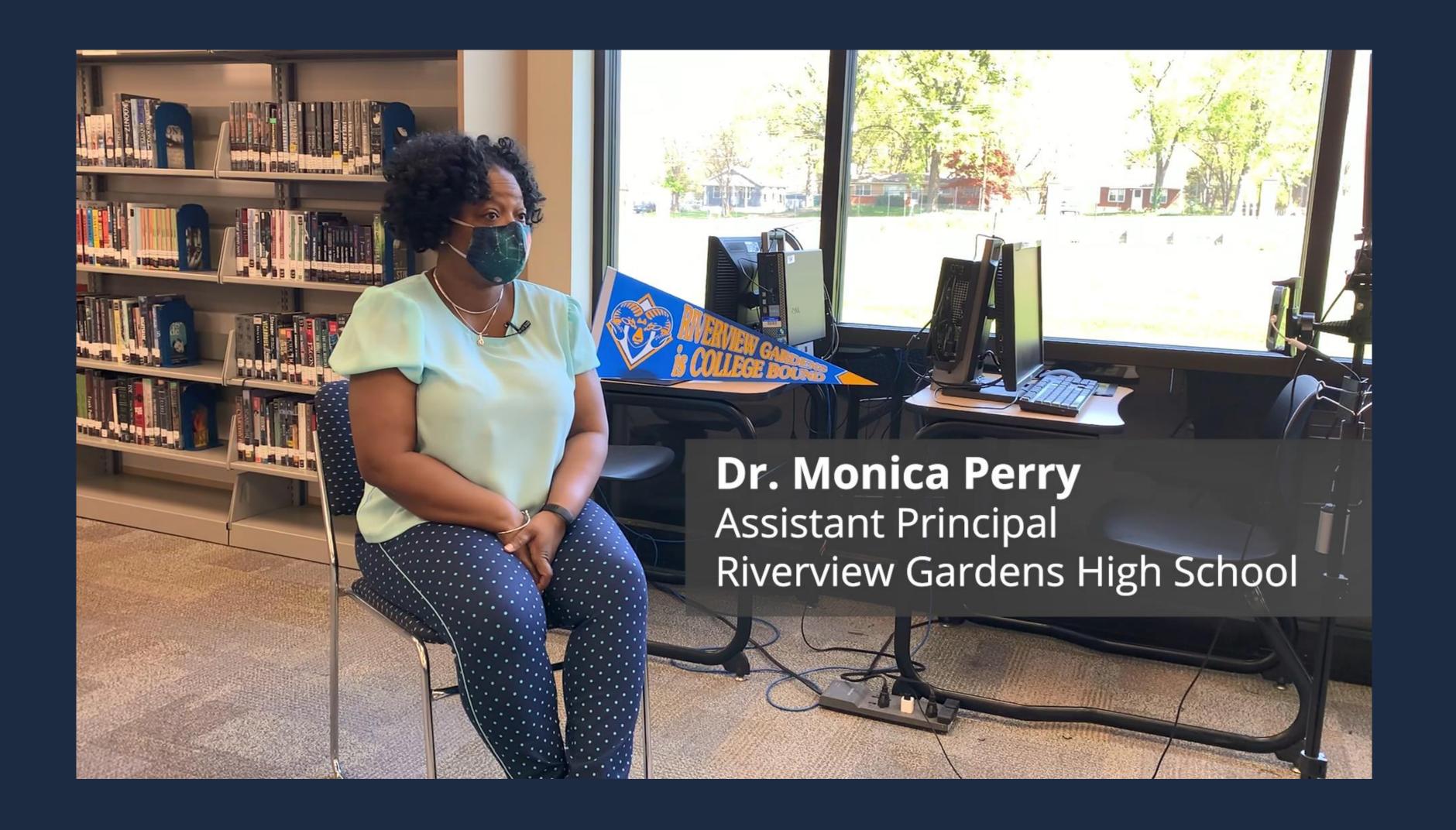
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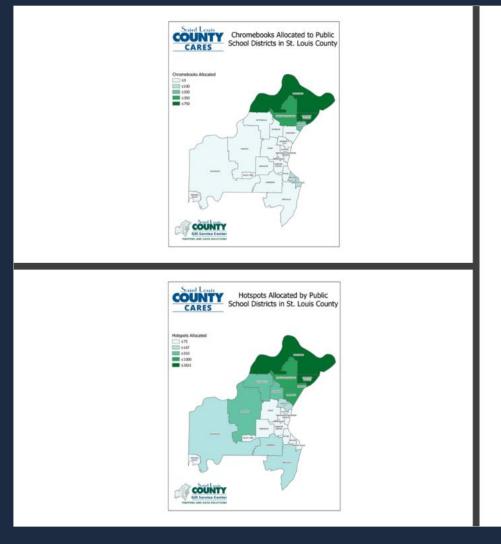




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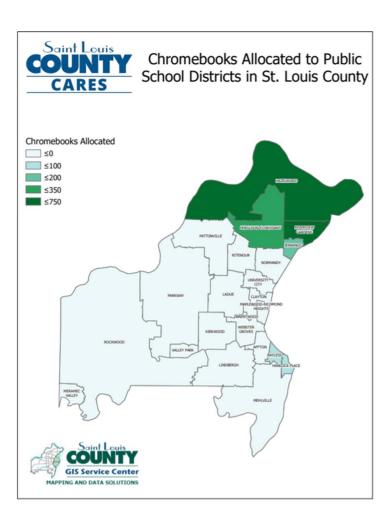


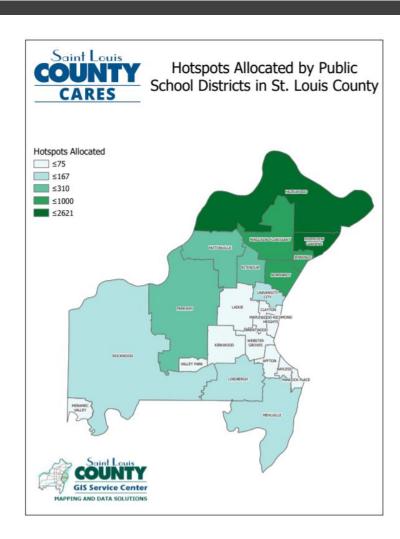




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School District or School Name	requested	awarded	requested	awarded
All Saints Academy St. Rose Campus	0	0	77	
Annunziata School (Archdiocese of St. Louis)	31	31	15	
Archdiocese of St. Louis	0	0	35	13
Ascension School	25	25	74	50
Bayless School District	15	15	400	2
Brentwood School District	50	50	0	
Christ the King School	10	10	100	
Christian Brothers College High School	20	20	0	
Epstein Hebrew Academy	5	- 5	15	
Ferguson Florissant School District	1000	1000	2000	10
Great Circle Academy - St. Louis	10	10	62	
Hancock Place School District	62	62	120	1
Hazelwood School District	2600	2600	4721	13
Hillcrest Seventh-day Adventist School	3	3	41	
Holy Infant School	0	0	131	
Holy Spirit Catholic School	1	1	33	
Immanuel Lutheran School	15	15	0	
Jennings School District	715	715	400	3
Kirkwood School District	50	50	0	
Lindbergh Schools	158	158	0	
Little Flower Catholic School parochial	0	0	65	
Logos School	15	15	0	
Maplewood Richmond Heights School District	5	5	125	
Mary Queen of Peace	0	0	50	
Mehlville School District	106	106	0	
Most Sacred Heart School/Archdiocese of St. Louis	7	7	75	
Normandy Schools Collaborative	624	624	250	
Our Lady of Guadalupe School	10	10	25	9
Parkway School District	310	310	0	
Pattonville School District	300	300	100	
Ritenour School District	280	280	0	
Riverview Gardens School District	2621	2621	1982	13
Rockwood R-VI School District	167	167	0	
School District of Clayton	20	20	50	
School District of University City	100	100	0	
Special School District of St. Louis County	326	326	2211	10
St. Justin Martyr School	30	30	65	
St. Mark Catholic School	15	15	40	
St. Monica/parochial	50	50	50	
St. Paul School	22	22	107	
THE FREEDOM SCHOOL	6	6	30	
Valley Park School District	20	20	0	
Villa di Maria Montessori	6	6	12	
Webster Groves School District	18	18	50	
Totals	9,828	9,828	13,511	6.0







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Hancock Place School District	62	62	120	10
Hazelwood School District	2600	2600	4721	131
Hillcrest Seventh-day Adventist School	3	3	41	4
Holy Infant School	0	0	131	7
Holy Spirit Catholic School	1	1	33	- 3
Immanuel Lutheran School	15	15	0	
Jennings School District	715	715	400	30
Kirkwood School District	50	50	0	
Lindbergh Schools	158	158	0	
Little Flower Catholic School parochial	0	0	65	
Logos School	15	15	0	
Maplewood Richmond Heights School District	5	5	125	
Mary Queen of Peace	0	0	50	3
Mehlville School District	106	106	0	
Most Sacred Heart School/Archdiocese of St. Louis	7	7	75	5
Normandy Schools Collaborative	624	624	250	
Our Lady of Guadalupe School	10	10	25	- 2
Parkway School District	310	310	0	
Pattonville School District	300	300	100	
Ritenour School District	280	280	0	
Riverview Gardens School District	2621	2621	1982	137
Rockwood R-VI School District	167	167	0	10.
School District of Clayton	20	20	50	
School District of University City	100	100	0	
Special School District of St. Louis County	326	326	2211	100
St. Justin Martyr School	30	30	65	(
St. Mark Catholic School	15	15	40	4
St. Monica/parochial	50	50	50	
St. Paul School	22	22	107	
THE FREEDOM SCHOOL	6	6	30	
Valley Park School District	20	20	0	
Villa di Maria Montessori	6	6	12	
Webster Groves School District	18	18	50	
Totals	9,828	9,828	13,511	6,08

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## **Economic Rescue Team**

#### **Steering Committee**

Rick Stevens, President of Christian Hospital, chair
Frank D. Jacobs, Business Manager of IBEW Local 1
Veta Jeffery, Executive Director of Heartland St. Louis Black Chamber of Commerce
Kellie McCoy, CEO of Chandra Group
Dr. Jeff Pittman, Chancellor of St. Louis Community College
Rodney Crim, CEO & President of the St. Louis Economic Development Partnership, ex-officio

### Small Business & Industry

Kellie McCoy, Founder of The Chandra Group, chair

### Community Development, Non-profit & Alternative Lending

Brian Phillips, Executive Director of Washington University Medical Center Redevelopment Corporation, chair

### Workforce Development and Training

Tiffany Davis, Director of Workforce Development of St. Louis Community College, chair

### Minority & Immigrant owned Small Businesses

Veta Jeffery, Executive Director of Heartland St. Louis Black Chamber of Commerce, chair



# Economic Rescue Team

- The County Executive established the Economic Rescue Team in March 2020 through Executive Order 16 to listen, learn, and recommend action.
- The Economic Rescue Team consisted of a five-member steering committee and four working groups. The four Working Groups of over 50 participants (Small Business & Industry, Minority & Immigrant Owned Business, Workforce Development, Community Development/Non-profit & Alternative Lending) began meeting weekly in June 2020.
- Identified nine opportunities for Executive Orders and Council legislation, which included temporary suspension and modification of County ordinances to provide immediate economic stabilization and five additional recommendations to help small businesses in August 2020.
- Completed St. Louis County Business Survey in September 2020 informing Economic Rescue Team of small business needs and pandemic impact.
- Provided 19 recommendations with an initial investment of \$6.45 Million published in November 2020 to build economic recovery and create equitable opportunities.
- Produced a comprehensive Economic Rescue Team Advisory Report which provides an ongoing framework for economic recovery and growth
- The Economic Rescue Team steering committee and working groups included over 60 participants representing organizations and thought leaders across the St. Louis region. Saint Louis

## Small Business Relief Fund

- Announced on May 2020 by the County Executive, the small business relief program grants were used to pay for the costs of business interruption as a result of the business closing during the Stay-at-Home Order and to cover costs associated with reopening safely.
  - Business interruption costs included fixed operating costs during closure; this included rents, utilities, salaries, and benefits. Reopening costs included acquiring personal protective equipment for employees or customers and installing plastic shields to reduce the risks of transmission between customers and employees.
- The Small Business Relief Program closed for new applications in September 2020 and provided \$19.6
   Million in direct financial assistance to 1,663 small businesses.
  - To be eligible for the up to \$15,000 grant, businesses must have had 50 or fewer employees as of March 1, 2020, and have had their principal place of business within St. Louis County. Sole proprietors, for-profit and not-for-profit organizations were eligible to apply.



# Small Business Relief Fund

Completed Council-Approved Applications				
District	Approved	Amount		
1	214	\$2,396,623		
2	273	\$3,233,092		
3	278	\$3,347,874		
4	165	\$1,731,398		
5	329	\$3,869,873		
6	161	\$1,796,212		
7	248	\$2,854,878		
Totals	1663	\$19,229,951		



### Small Business Rapid Deployment Fund

- Small businesses impacted by COVID-19 could apply for \$5,000 grants to pay for operating expenses or business costs, including rent and payroll. Restaurants could also request assistance for costs related to any equipment or supplies necessary to adapt to COVID-related public health restrictions.
- More than 850 applications were received for the Small Business Rapid Deployment Fund when it closed on December 7, 2020. Of those, 688 applications were approved and funded.
- Restaurants were offered an additional \$2,500 grant to provide additional assistance as COVID-related restrictions continued into 2021.
- Small businesses who received a loan from Economic Development Council's Small Business Resource Program (SBRP) early in 2020 were eligible to apply for funding to convert those loans to grants. Of the 202 loans made under SBRP, 148 of those were forgiven in full.







# Municipal Relief Program

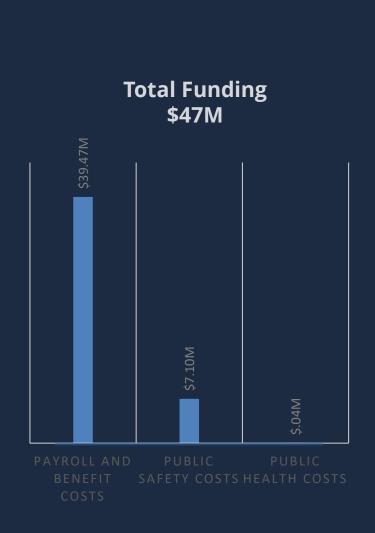
- Flexible Approach Use Coronavirus Relief Fund money to address immediate needs
  - Necessary expenses not otherwise supported from other sources, including FEMA
- Immediate Support for Incurred or Expected COVID-19 Related Expenses
  - Municipalities may apply for funding to address eligible COVID-19 response costs that are already incurred or expected in Fiscal Year 2020.
- Federal Revenue Optimization
  - By seeking FEMA reimbursements, the County and municipalities can work together to maximize federal resources available for St. Louis County to address the public health crisis.
- Compliance Risk Management
  - Accounting for COVID-19 costs is complicated by a mix of revenue sources (federal, state and local) and the still-evolving federal guidance about how to spend and track the money.
  - Clear processes and documentation can mitigate the risk of federal audit challenges to the uses of these funds.

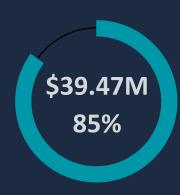


Municipality	Grant Allocation	Municipality	Grant Allocation
City of Ballwin	\$2,090,913.00	City of Maryland Heights	\$1,889,277.00
City of Bella Villa	\$50,134.00	City of Moline Acres	\$167,939.00
City of Bellefontaine Neighbors	\$746,853.00	City of Normandy*	\$344,405.00
City of Bellerive Acres	\$12,929.00	City of Northwoods	\$290,695.00
City of Bel-Nor	\$103,088.00	City of Oakland	\$94,973.00
City of Bel-Ridge	\$188,226.00	City of Olivette	\$532,081.00
City of Berkeley	\$617,426.00	City of Overland	\$1,104,600.00
City of Beverly Hills	\$39,475.00	City of Pacific	\$75,555.00
City of Black Jack	\$476,514.00	City of Pagedale	\$227,219.00
City of Breckenridge Hills	\$326,387.00	City of Pasadena Hills	\$63,957.00
City of Brentwood	\$553,950.00	City of Pine Lawn	\$225,225.00
City of Bridgeton	\$794,305.00	City of Richmond Heights	\$591,637.00
City of Calverton Park	\$88,921.00	City of Rock Hill	\$318,754.00
City of Charlack	\$93,735.00	City of Shrewsbury	\$430,094.00
City of Chesterfield	\$3,265,522.00	City of St. Ann	\$895,398.00
City of Clarkson Valley	\$181,005.00	City of St. John	\$448,181.00
City of Clayton	\$1,096,141.00	City of Sunset Hills	\$584,278.00
City of Cool Valley	\$82,250.00	City of Town & Country	\$743,758.00
City of Country Club Hills	\$87,614.00	City of Twin Oaks	\$26,958.00
City of Crestwood	\$819,200.00	City of University City	\$2,432,499.00
City of Creve Coeur	\$1,226,393.00	City of Valley Park	\$478,234.00
City of Crystal Lake Park	\$32,322.00	City of Velda City	\$97,655.00
city of Dellwood	\$345,574.00	City of Velda Village Hills*	\$72,553.00
City of Des Peres	\$575,820.00	City of Vinita Park	\$148,339.00
City of Edmundson	\$57,355.00	City of Warson Woods	\$134,929.00
City of Ellisville	\$628,086.00	City of Webster Groves	\$1,581,389.00
City of Eureka	\$700,708.00	City of Wellston	\$159,067.00
City of Fenton	\$276,597.00	City of Wildwood	\$2,442,540.00
City of Ferguson	\$1,458,152.00	City of Winchester	\$106,389.00
City of Flordell Hills	\$56,530.00	City of Woodson Terrace	\$279,417.00
City of Florissant	\$3,586,958.00	Grantwood Village	\$59,349.00
City of Frontenac	\$239,461.00	Town of Norwood Court	\$65,951.00
City of Glendale	\$407,468.00	Village of Glen Echo Park*	\$11,003.00
City of Green Park	\$180,318.00	Village of Hanley Hills	\$144,488.00
City of Greendale	\$44,770.00	Village of Hillsdale	\$101,644.00
City of Hazelwood	\$1,767,621.00	Village of Marlborough	\$149,852.00
City of Huntleigh	\$22,970.00	Village of Pasadena Park	\$32,322.00
City of Jennings	\$1,011,759.00	Village of Riverview	\$196,410.00
City of Kinloch	\$20,494.00	Village of Sycamore Hills	\$45,939.00
City of Kirkwood	\$1,893,953.00	Village of Uplands Park	\$30,603.00
City of Ladue	\$585,998.00	Village of Westwood	\$19,118.00
City of Lakeshire	\$98,480.00	Village of Wilbur Park*	\$32,391.00
City of Manchester	\$1,244,342.00		
City of Maplewood	\$553,331.00		
		TOTAL:	\$46,607,113

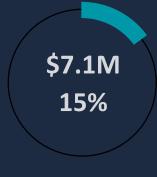
# Municipal Relief Program

### Categories of expenses reviewed under the Municipality Relief Program

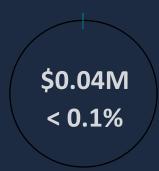




Payroll, time records, pay policies, and benefits supporting documentation were reviewed for **52 applicants** who requested reimbursement for employee **payroll and benefit costs**. St. Louis County allowed presumptive payroll costs for public safety and public health employees.



**Public Safety Costs** comprised the review of police service contracts. Copies of contracts, the associated invoices, and payment support documentation were reviewed for **33 applicants**.



Invoices and payment support documentation provided by **1 applicant** under **the Public Health Costs** category. These expenses were incurred in the acquisition of sanitizing products and personal protective equipment, disinfection of public areas, and in improving telework capabilities for public employees.





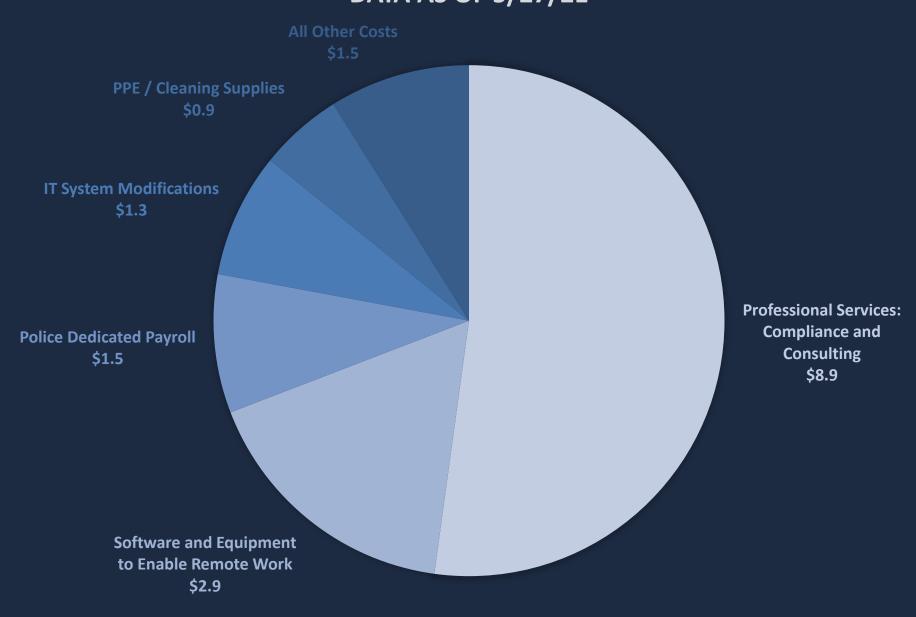


# County CoRe By Spending Category

CRF-CORE SPENDING & ENCUMBRANCE SUMMARY (\$17.1 MILLION)

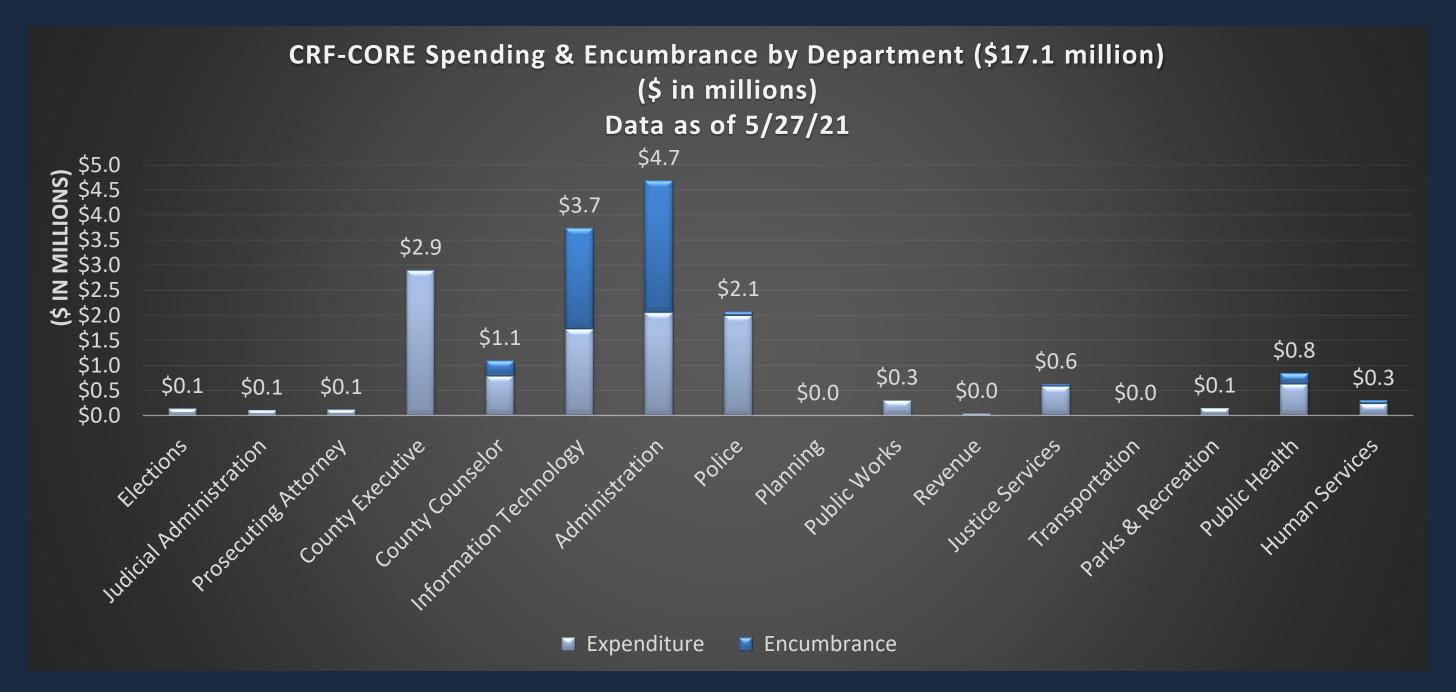
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DATA AS OF 5/27/21





# County CoRe By Department





# County CoRe Top 15 Vendors

VENDOR	Expenditure	Encumbrance	TOTAL
DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP	2,041,128.00	2,633,872.00	4,675,000.00
THE BOSTON CONSULTING GROUP	2,740,000.00	-	2,740,000.00
ACCELA INC	128,060.00	1,024,480.00	1,152,540.00
LEWIS RICE & FINGERSH	594,504.29	338,059.51	932,563.80
LENOVO INC	549,442.88	372,229.00	921,671.88
DELL MARKETING L P	504,139.76	16,077.86	520,217.62
MIDWEST MEDICAL SUPPLY LLC	330,742.53	169,437.73	500,180.26
CONFERENCE TECHNOLOGIES INC	0	469438.93	469,438.93
SHI INTERNATIONAL CORP	363,725.95	33,547.79	397,273.74
ACCUCARE MEDICAL	188,051.25	36,155.68	224,206.93
TSI GLOBAL COMPANIES	199,287.90	-	199,287.90
ASYNCHRONY SOLUTIONS LLC	119,275.27	61,470.75	180,746.02
LOAVES AND FISHES FOR ST LOUIS INC	180,629.00		180,629.00
EHAWK SOLUTIONS	150,000.00		150,000.00
SALVATION ARMY MIDLAND DIVISION	57712.33	63107.67	120,820.00
	8,146,699.16	5,217,876.92	13,364,576.08

CRF-CORE Spending & Encumbrance - Top 15 Vendors

(\$13.4 million)

(\$ in millions)

Data as of 5/27/21

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# Part 4: Key Takeaways & Lessons



### Lessons Learned

Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic required efficiency and ingenuity. St. Louis County still had a government built for the 1990's.

#### **SYSTEMS**

- St. Louis County did not have the laws and structures in place to adapt quickly.
- Departments and employees lacked the tools to provide residents with services digitally and online.

### **STAFFING**

- Departments and divisions were not staffed for extraordinary challenges-both internal and external.
- Employees were not trained on updated technology and software capabilities.

#### **SPEED**

- The technology equipment used by employees could not handle a transition to online.
- Departments were asked to change service delivery processes while continuing to deliver services.



# Part 5: Looking Ahead – American Rescue Plan



# Looking Ahead

Building off lessons learned from the pandemic, St. Louis County now has a roadmap that will make us a government built for the present and future.

#### **SYSTEMS**

- Customers now have more ways to interact with St. Louis County whether online, in-person, or over the phone.
- Employees now have the tools to do their work remotely and in-person.

### **STAFFING**

- Changes in central servicesprocurement, IT, HR, and communications - will make processes more efficient and effective.
- Focus on employee engagement and recruitment will make St. Louis County a desirable place to work.

#### **SPEED**

- Customer service and technology projects center around first call resolution.
- Back-end improvements such as data storage, process simplification, and automation will make services faster and more efficient.



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